

REPORTS  
OF THE  
SELECTMEN, TREASURER, COLLECTOR,  
AND  
OVERSEERS OF THE POOR,  
OF THE  
TOWN OF WALPOLE,  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 1, 1869.

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1869.





# REPORT

OF THE

## SELECTMEN OF THE TOWN OF WALPOLE.

### ORDERS DRAWN ON THE TREASURY

From February 1st, 1868, to February 1st, 1869.

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### SCHOOLS.

#### CENTRE DISTRICT.

1868.

Mar.	4.	To Ann S. Metcalf, teaching Grammar School 12 weeks,	\$132 00
	4.	" John H. Barton, care of house,	15 00
	4.	" J. R. Russell, sawing wood,	3 00
	4.	" J. E. Bacon, teaching Primary School 12 weeks,	72 00
	11.	" H. W. Parkiss & Co., ink, crayons, &c.,	5 37
April	15.	" Geo. R. Clapp, half cord wood,	2 50
July	24.	" H. W. Parkiss & Co., soap and pail,	88
	24.	" J. C. Hammond & Co., ink and crayons,	1 45
	24.	" Ella Bacon, teaching Primary School 14 weeks,	98 00
	24.	" Ann S. Metcalf, teaching Grammar School 14 weeks,	140 00
	24.	" C. J. Bacon, care of house,	16 00
<hr/> <i>Amount carried forward,</i>			\$486 20

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>		\$486 20
Sept.	26. To B. Lewis, coal,	80 82
Nov.	16. " John Hayford, cutting wood,	3 00
	20. " Ella Bacon, teaching 10 weeks,	80 00
	20. " Ann S. Metcalf, " "	100 00
	20. " C. J. Bacon, care of house,	12 50
Dec.	10. " Chas. Hartshorn, 2 cords wood,	10 00
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		\$772 52

## EAST DISTRICT.

Mar.	13. To Chester Morse, 4 feet wood,	3 00
April	1. " Jason Lewis, 4 cords wood,	26 65
	15. " Chas. Everett, wood,	10 50
	20. " James A. Lewis, half cord wood,	3 00
May	8. " Timothy Donovan, cutting wood,	13 00
June	11. " A. E. Ingraham, teaching 14 weeks,	126 00
	11. " F. N. Perkins, " "	84 00
	11. " Geo. A. Plimpton, care of house,	11 50
Dec.	16. " F. N. Perkins, teaching 11 weeks,	77 00
	" L. D. Blake, " "	110 00
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		\$464 65

## VILLAGE DISTRICT.

Mar.	11. To H. W. Parkiss & Co., ink and crayons,	1 59
	19. " L. B. Keith, teaching 16 weeks,	144 00
	19. " Geo. Hartshorn, care of house,	8 00
April	6. " John Burkley, cutting wood,	1 25
May	15. " Chas. Hartshorn, half cord wood,	3 50
July	30. " L. B. Keith, teaching 11½ weeks,	104 40
Aug.	25. " C. A. Booth, care of house,	5 80
Sept.	1. " Charles Ellis, wood,	33 00
Nov.	16. " James Crowley, cutting wood,	14 00
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		\$315 54



## NORTH DISTRICT.

Feb.	28.	To M. L. Wheelock, teaching 17 weeks,	\$153 00
	28.	" Alva Gay, care of house,	12 75
April	1.	" Rowland Willett, 2 cords wood and cutting,	16 75
Sept.	1.	" M. L. Wheelock, teaching 10 weeks,	100 00
Nov.	3.	" Lucy E. Smith, teaching 5 weeks,	50 00
		" Rowland Willett, care of house 17 weeks,	7 50
1869.			
Jan.	30.	" Rowland Willett, coal,	21 00
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			\$361 00

## SOUTH DISTRICT.

1868.			
Feb.	28.	To Mrs. Otis Boyden, board of two teachers 13 weeks,	\$104 00
	23.	" Benj. F. Boyden, teaching 13 weeks,	136 50
	23.	" Frank Cook, care of house,	13 00
	23.	" Mary F. Randall, teaching 13 weeks,	45 50
April	6.	" Newell Boyden, wood,	27 71
July	1.	" Clarence M. Gibbs, care of house,	5 12
	1.	" E. S. Winship, teaching 10 weeks,	90 00
	1.	" Mary F. Randall, "	75 00
	1.	" H. W. Gilmore, cutting wood,	8 75
Nov.	12.	" F. W. Tiffany, care of house,	7 75
	12.	" M. F. Randall, teaching 12 weeks,	90 00
	12.	" E. S. Winship, " "	108 00
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			\$711 33

## WEST DISTRICT.

1868.			
Mar.	28.	To L. P. Townsend, care of house,	\$6 00
		" " teaching 21 weeks,	126 00
May	20.	" William Baker, 3 cords wood,	24 00
July	30.	" S. J. Woods, teaching 10 weeks,	50 00
	30.	" Alfred Clark, boarding teacher,	30 00
Nov.	17.	" S. J. Woods, teaching 12 weeks,	60 00
	17.	" Alfred Clark, boarding teacher,	36 00
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			\$332 00

## BUBBLING BROOK DISTRICT.

1868.

To James P. Tisdale, appropriation for  
District, \$151 97

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## ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

1868.

June	1.	To L. D. Gray, abatement of Eben Baker's tax on personal estate for 1863,	1 98
	1.	" L. D. Gray, abatement of David Fales' tax for 1862,	2 00
	1.	" Daniel Turner, abatement of Aratus Thompson's tax for 1867,	2 00
Dec.	10.	" H. W. Parkis & Co., personal estate tax for 1868,	35 53

1869.

Jan.	28.	" Edmund Polleys, abatement of sundry taxes for 1867,	57 93
			<hr/> \$99 44

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## HIGHWAYS AND TOWNWAYS.

1868.

April	3.	To Chas. Hartshorn, labor and materials,	\$92 50
June	15.	" " "	74 00
July	1.	" J. H. Leland, "	34 00
	25.	" " "	5 00
Aug.	31.	" John Burkley, labor.	54 00
Sept.	12.	" J. H. Leland, "	100 00
Oct.	1.	" James Tobin, "	80 60
	1.	" J. G. Scott, "	88 63

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Amount carried forward, \$528 72



<i>Amount brought forward,</i>			\$528 73
8.	" Alfred Clark, labor and materials,		60 70
15.	" J. H. Leland,	"	50 00
29.	" "	"	150 00
Nov. 2.	" J. G. Scott,	"	185 00
10.	" J. P. Tisdale,	"	24 75
28.	" J. G. Scott,	"	132 31
Dec. 1.	" J. H. Leland,	"	50 00
31.	" J. G. Scott,	"	41 00
1869.			
Jan. 30.	" J. H. Leland,	"	2 40
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			\$1,224 89

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### BRIDGES.

1868.			
July 25.	To F. W. Bird, grate for culverts,		\$6 80
Aug. 22.	" J. G. Scott, labor and materials,		50 50
Oct. 1.	" J. H. Leland,	"	21 78
20.	" Chester Morse, timber,		70 40
Nov. 2.	" Chas. Hartshorn, labor and materials,		152 00
2.	" Clark & Leatherbee, lumber,		22 35
Dec. 10.	" Chas. Hartshorn, labor and material for		
	railing near Tilton Station,		24 00
	" Clark & Leatherbee, lumber,		26 63
1869.			
Jan. 1.	" J. G. Scott, lumber,		8 96
1.	" " labor,		30 00
	" J. H. Leland, " and materials,		7 25
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			\$420 67

## REMOVING SNOW.

1868.

Feb. 29.	To J. H. Leland,	\$33 42
Mar. 14.	“ “	49 85
17.	“ J. P. Tisdale,	147 55
27.	“ J. H. Leland,	56 68
28.	“ J. G. Scott,	289 45
April 14.	“ J. H. Leland,	50 00
14.	“ J. G. Scott,	144 30
28.	“ J. P. Tisdale,	75 82
May 22.	“ J. H. Leland, in March, 1868,	76 63
June 1.	“ J. G. Scott, “	37 70
July 1.	“ J. H. Leland, “	19 25
25.	“ “ “	10 61

1869.

Jan. 1.	“ J. G. Scott, “	16 00
30.	“ J. H. Leland, “	15 00

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 \$1,022 26

## ASSISTANCE TO POOR AT ALMSHOUSE.

1868.

Feb. 1.	To Eben Stone, medical attendance,	\$2 00
29.	“ W. O. Carroll, hay wagon body,	7 00
April 1.	“ Smith Gray, manure,	12 00
1.	“ John L. Smith, 1 year's salary,	400 00
May 1.	“ Eben Baker, ox cart,	42 50
23.	“ J. G. Scott, household furniture,	34 30
June 12.	“ “ hay,	48 00
25.	“ “ standing grass,	68 50
26.	“ J. Breck & Son, grindstone,	17 25

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 Amount carried forward,

\$631 55



<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$631 55
Aug. 1.	To Eben Stone, medical attendance,	36 00
3.	" Wilmarth & Boyden, supplies,	11 22
22.	" J. G. Scott, burial expenses of Edmund P. Day,	15 75
29.	" E. C. Craig & Co., supplies,	144 49
31.	" John Burkley, labor,	62 70
	" J. G. Scott, household furniture,	10 38
Sept. 5.	" Wm. Corey, labor,	15 50
Oct. 1.	" Nathan Clark, part payment of salary,	100 00
	" James Tobin, labor,	36 00
9.	" Moses Pond & Co., boiler,	29 50
Nov. 2.	" Chas. Hartshorn, wood,	10 50
12.	" E. C. Craig & Co., supplies,	94 36
27.	" J. G. Scott, 6 swine,	27 00
28.	" " cart harness,	49 86
28.	" John Burkley, labor,	15 00
Dec. 28.	" Chas. Ellis, wood,	10 43
31.	" James Engley, stone,	14 75
1869.		
Jan. 15.	" J. P. Tisdale, wood at auction,	131 75
30.	" E. C. Craig & Co., supplies,	112 38
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		\$1,559 12

### ALMSHOUSE AND REPAIRS.

1868.

April 1.	To Smith Gray, house, barn, and 11 acres of land (Daniel Allen place),	\$2,500 00
1.	" Smith Gray, expense of deed,	5 25
1.	" Horatio Wood, surveying and bound- ing land,	8 00
1.	" B. H. & E. R. R., freight on shingles,	2 85
8.	" J. P. Tisdale, sale of almshouse,	12 67
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*Amount carried forward,*

\$2,528 77

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>			\$2,528 77
April	10.	To Clark & Leatherbee, 12m. shingles,	75 00
	13.	" Clark & Leatherbee, lumber,	90 92
	15.	" B. H. & E. R. R., freight on lumber,	4 75
	28.	" Asa L. Hartshorn, labor,	82 34
May	1.	" J. G. Scott, insurance,	12 00
	23.	" J. G. Scott, material for repairs,	16 68
June	1.	" H. C. Fuller & Co., mason work,	15 72
	26.	" D. Aspenwall, pump and fixtures,	39 73
July	1.	" J. H. Leland, advertising farm,	17 60
Aug.	26.	" Bacon & Bullard, painting,	24 29
	31.	" J. G. Scott, repairs,	11 58
Sept.	7.	" W. O. Carrell, labor,	29 00
Nov.	28.	" J. G. Scott, repairs,	6 66
Dec.	4.	" Bacon & Bullard, painting,	216 29
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			\$3,171 33

### ASSISTANCE TO POOR OUT OF ALMSHOUSE.

1868.

Feb.	1.	To Chas. Hartshorn, wood for Wm. Jackson,	\$7 00
	3.	" L. Dickerman, medical attendance on Olive Smith,	13 50
	8.	" Stephen G. Reed, town aid,	5 00
	25.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	4 50
	26.	" Charles Ellis, wood for Wm. Jackson,	7 00
	27.	" Richard Burke, cutting wood,	1 33
	29.	" J. H. Leland, assistance to transient paupers,	25 25
	29.	" J. G. Scott, assistance to ninety-one transient paupers,	44 35
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<i>Amount carried forward,</i>			\$107 93



<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$107 93
March 9.	To Westboro' Reform School, board of W. A. Reed,	13 00
12.	" John Brown, board of D. Fales,	5 00
14.	" Edward Brown, 10 weeks' aid,	10 00
23.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	5 00
April 1.	" Westboro' Reform School, board of W. A. Reed,	6 50
1.	" Mrs. Oliver Eldridge, 26 weeks' board of Hannah Boyden,	26 00
1.	" Worcester lunatic hospital, 13 weeks' board of M. J. Carey,	45 60
1.	" John Brown, board of D. Fales,	5 00
14.	" City of Lynn, aid to Eliza Morse,	53 00
May 1.	" J. G. Scott, assistance to 30 transient paupers,	15 00
4.	" Edward Brown, town aid,	5 00
25.	" John Brown, board of D. Fales,	10 00
25.	" John Brown, board of D. Fales,	5 00
25.	" C. Hartshorn, wood for Wm. Jackson,	17 00
25.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	3 00
25.	" J. G. Scott, commitment of James D. Barnard to hospital,	24 05
June 13.	" Edward Brown, town aid,	5 00
18.	" C. Hartshorn, wood for Wm. Jackson,	7 00
July 1.	" Worcester Lunatic Hospital, board of M. J. Carey,	45 50
1.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	3 00
Aug. 1.	" Edward Brown, town aid,	5 00
28.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	5 00
28.	" Westboro' Reform School, board of Wm. A. Reed,	6 50
28.	" John Brown, board of D. Fales,	10 00
28.	" J. G. Scott burial expenses of an un- known man killed on R. R.,	14 75
28.	" S. W. Hartshorn removing pauper to State almshouse,	10 60
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$468 43

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$468 43
Sept. 9.	To Edward Brown, town aid,	5 00
Oct. 1.	" Worcester Lunatic Hospital, board of M. J. Carey,	46 20
1.	" D. Cook, entertainment of 62 transient paupers,	31 00
1.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	6 00
1.	" Mrs. Oliver Eldridge, care of Hannah Boyden 26 weeks,	26 00
19.	" B. F. Holbrook, expense of removal of P. Mullen from Upton,	22 10
29.	" John Brown, board of D. Fales,	10 00
Nov. 12.	" Edward Brown, town aid,	5 00
16.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	3 00
28.	" Westboro' Reform School, board of W. A. Reed,	9 07
	" Martin Gay, town aid,	4 00
Dec. 5.	" C. Hartshorn, wood for E. Brown,	14 00
14.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	3 00
22.	" Edward Brown, town aid,	5 00
	" John Brown, board of D. Fales,	10 00
1869.		
Jan. 1.	" Westboro' Reform School, board of W. A. Reed,	13 00
1.	" Worcester Lunatic Hospital, board of M. J. Carey,	48 50
16.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	6 00
30.	" J. H. Leland, assistance to transient paupers,	23 00
30.	" D. Cook, assistance to transient paupers,	27 25
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		\$785 65



## TOWN OFFICERS.

1868.

Feb. 29.	To J. H. Leland, overseer of the poor,	\$34 00
	“ J. H. Leland, selectman,	82 50
	“ J. G. Scott, overseer of the poor,	35 00
	“ J. G. Scott, selectman,	100 00
	“ J. G. Scott, constable,	25 00
March 2.	“ G. P. Morey, town clerk,	50 00
May 15.	“ E. G. Thurber, school committee,	25 00
	“ W. B. Smith, “ “	25 00
	“ Eben Stone, “ “	25 00
Oct. 17.	“ Edmund Polleys, collector,	170 00
Nov. 7.	“ J. H. Leland, assessor for 1868,	85 00

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Jan. 30.	“ Samuel Allen, treasurer,	75 00
	“ J. H. Leland, selectman for 1868,	80 00
	“ J. H. Leland, overseer of the poor for 1868,	25 00
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		\$836 50

## PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

1868.

Feb. 28.	To J. G. Scott, stationery,	\$14 04
	“ Rockwell & Rollins, printing Reports,	68 22
Apr. 4.	“ John Wilson & Son, “ “	32 00

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Jan. 30.	“ Samuel Allen, stamps, stationery, and recording deed,	5 00
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		\$119 26

## NOTES AND INTEREST.

1868.			
Feb.	20.	To Edwin Wilson, notes and interest,	\$73 57
	20.	" Leon A. Priest, " "	28 75
Mar.	9.	" Lawell Mann, " "	63 25
	11.	" Eben Baker, " "	37 37
	28.	" H. A. Billings, " "	43 12
Apr.	23.	" Harriet Kingsbury, 2 years' interest,	21 36
Aug.	4.	" L. & S. Pond, 1 year's interest,	150 00
Sept.	2.	" Emmons Partridge, part payment of note,	200 00
	2.	" Emmons Partridge, 1 year's interest,	49 00
Oct.	28.	" Horace Ware, 1 " "	60 00
Nov.	2.	" H. E. Bacon, 1 " "	9 30
	17.	" Otis K. Horn, part payment of note,	50 00
Dec.	10.	" Smith Gray, note and interest,	2,575 23
1869.			
Jan.	30.	" Horace Ware, " "	1,034 17
	30.	" Emmons Partridge, note and interest, .	319 80
	30.	" Charlotte Partridge, " "	203 15
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			\$4,918,07

## STATE AID.

1868.			
Feb.	29.	To Caleb Philbrick, 1 month,	\$10 00
	29.	" Geo. W. Young, 1 "	5 00
Mar.	1.	" Caleb Philbrick, 1 "	10 00
	1.	" Jason Lewis, 2 "	12 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1 "	8 00
	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1 "	5 00
	1.	" E. E. Jackson, 1 "	8 00
	1.	" C. Hartshorn, guardian, 1 month,	8 00
April	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1 "	5 00
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<i>Amount carried forward,</i>			\$71 00



<i>Amount brought forward,</i>				\$71 00
April	1.	To Margarette White, 1	month,	8 00
	1.	" E. E. Jackson, 2	"	16 00
May	1.	" Margaret White, 1	"	8 00
	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1	"	5 00
	1.	" Calvin Hartshorn, guard., 3	"	24 00
June	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1	"	5 00
	1.	" Jason Lewis, 3	"	18 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1	"	8 00
	1.	" E. E. Jackson, 2	"	16 00
July	1.	" Edward Clinton, 1	"	7 00
	1.	" C. Philbrick, 4	"	40 00
	1.	" F. W. Luce, 5	"	15 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1	"	8 00
	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1	"	5 00
Aug.	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1	"	5 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1	"	8 00
	1.	" C. Hartshorn, guard., 3	"	24 00
	1.	" Edward Clinton, 1	"	7 00
Sept.	1.	" Jason Lewis, 3	"	18 00
	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1	"	5 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1	"	8 00
	1.	" Edward Clinton, 1	"	7 00
	1.	" O. Philbrick, 2	"	20 00
	29.	" E. E. Jackson, 1	"	8 00
Oct.	1.	" F. W. Luce, 3	"	9 00
	1.	" C. Philbrick, 1	"	10 00
	1.	" E. E. Jackson, 1	"	8 00
	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1	"	5 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1	"	8 00
	1.	" Edward Clinton, 1	"	7 00
	30.	" E. E. Jackson, 2	"	16 00
	30.	" C. Hartshorn, guard., 3	"	24 00
Nov.	1.	" C. Philbrick, 1	"	10 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1	"	8 00
Dec.	1.	" C. Philbrick, 1	"	10 00
	1.	" Edward Clinton, 2	"	14 00

*Amount carried forward,*\$493 00

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>			\$493 00
Dec.	1.	To E. E. Jackson, 2 months,	16 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1 "	8 00
	8.	" Jason Lewis, 3 "	24 00
1869.			
Jan.	1.	" E. E. Jackson, 1 "	8 00
	1.	" C. Hartshorn, guard, 2 "	16 00
	1.	" Edward Clinton, 1 "	7 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1 "	8 00
	1.	" F. W. Luce, 3 "	9 00
	1.	" C. Philbrick, 1 "	10 00
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			\$599 00

## MISCELLANEOUS.

1868.			
Feb.	29.	To W. O. Carroll, repairing road scraper,	\$8 50
Mar.	2.	" G. P. Morey, registering births, deaths, and marriages,	21 90
		" G. P. Morey, returns of deaths,	4 10
		" G. P. Morey, canvassing votes for Representatives,	3 00
"	11.	" H. W. Parkis & Co., school books,	6 55
		" William Henshaw, " "	29 75
May	29.	" L. D. Gray, services as liquor agent six years, to May 1, 1866,	53 35
Oct.	20.	" A. W. Cheever, taxes on Wrentham,	3 04
Nov.	2.	" Mason Peirce, express charges,	10 25
"	7.	" H. Billings, stone bounds for road,	3 00
		" Edmund Polley's, collector, discount on voluntary payment of taxes,	826 90
"	26.	" J. C. Hammond & Co., school books,	2 45
Dec.	1.	" State Treasurer, state tax,	2,440 00
		" J. G. Scott, treasurer First Parish, to use of vestry,	36 00
"	22.	" Jason Ellis, care of hearse,	1 50
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			\$3,450 29











## REPORT OF THE OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

*Of the Town of Walpole from March 1, 1868, to Feb. 1, 1869.*

By a vote of the town, passed at the last March meeting, authority was given to the selectmen to make such changes in the real estate of the Almshouse as they might deem best for the interests of the town. In accordance with that vote the selectmen disposed by auction of the old town farm, and purchased of Smith Gray the Daniel Allen place for an Almshouse. The old farm was purchased by the town in the year 1837, and cost \$2,700. It was sold — with the exception of nine acres of meadow, valued at \$300, which was reserved, — by auction, April 8, 1868, for \$2,342.

Amount paid Smith Gray for Daniel Allen place,	\$2,500 00
“ expended for repairs and improvements,	586 81
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Making the cost of the real estate,	\$3,086 81

### Amount of personal property at Almshouse,

March 1, 1868,	\$1,860 43
Am't paid for household furniture, &c.,	193 98
“ “ groceries and flour,	240 67
“ “ meat and fish,	75 53
“ “ hay and grain,	264 58
“ “ wood,	157 18
“ “ manure,	27 00
“ “ swine,	27 00
“ “ interest, insurance, and taxes,	165 14
“ “ burial of E. P. Day,	14 75
“ “ E. Stone, medical attendance,	38 00
“ “ N. Clark, 4 months' services,	100 00

<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>	\$3,164 25	<hr/> \$3,086 81
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<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>	\$3,164 25	\$3,086 81
Amount paid, sundry bills of labor,	207 33	
“ “ sundries,	40 59	
“ due N. Clark for services to Feb. 1, '69,	150 00	
	<hr/>	3,562 18
Total,		<hr/> \$6,648 99

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Value of real estate at Almshouse, Feb. 1, '69,	\$3,086 81	
“ personal estate, “ “	1,737 82	
“ labor performed on highways,	289 10	
Cash rec'd by N. Clark for labor of team,	93 10	
“ “ board,	111 85	
“ “ sale of produce,	75 82	
Am't due for board and labor,	116 66	
Board of 317 transient paupers,	237 75	
Cash rec'd from sale of personal property at auction,	321 95	
	<hr/>	6,070 86
Net expense of poor at Almshouse,		\$578 13
Largest number of inmates,	4	
Present number,	2	
Average number,	2 $\frac{1}{3}$	
Number of weeks' board,	113	

## EXPENSE OF POOR OUT OF ALMSHOUSE.

Am't p'd on acc't of Edward Brown and wife,	\$61 00
“ “ “ David Fales and wife,	55 00
“ “ “ Mrs. Hannah Boyden,	52 00
“ “ “ Wm. Jackson and wife,	17 00
“ “ “ Mrs. Eliza Morse and two children,	53 00
“ “ “ Martin Gay,	4 00
Board of Mrs. Carey at hospital,	185 80
“ 2 boys at Westboro' Reform School,	48 07
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<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$475 87

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$475 87
Removal of J. D. Barnard to hospital,	24 05
“ Mrs. Mullen from Upton,	22 10
“ J. McDonald to State Alms- house	10 60
Burial of man killed on railroad,	14 75
Board of Ida Carnes,	34 00
Relief by J. G. Scott to transient paupers,	15 00
“ “ D. Cook “ “ “	58 25
“ “ J. H. Leland “ “	23 00
	<hr/> \$677 62

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By am't due from Town of Weymouth,	\$34 00
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	\$643 62

Net expense of poor in and out of }  
the Almshouse to Feb. 1, 1869, } \$1221 75

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES G. SCOTT, }  
JAMES H. LELAND, } *Overseers of*  
JAMES P. TISDALE, } *the poor of*  
                                  *Walpole.*



# STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

*Of the Town of Walpole, Feb. 1, 1869.*

## ASSETS.

Amount in Treasury,	\$7,334 34
“ due from taxes for 1867,	12 77
“ “ “ “ “ 1868,	1,820 70
“ “ on acc’t of State aid for 1865,	296 79
“ “ “ “ “ “ “ 1868,	599 00
“ “ from Almshouse acc’t,	246 00
“ “ from State for Corporation tax,	64 34
Amount “ “ Town of Weymouth,	34 00
“ of lumber and timber on hand,	100 00
	<hr/> \$10,507 94

## LIABILITIES.

Amount due the several School Districts:—

Central District,	\$402 44
South “	594 62
East “	530 76
North “	426 96
Village “	472 20
West “	360 07
Bubbling Brook District,	160 00
	<hr/> \$2,947 05
Outstanding notes, with interest,	3,233 00
Amount due town officers,	300 00
“ “ N. Clark, services,	150 00
“ in treasury deposited as fund for Town House,	65 58
	<hr/> \$6,695 63
Excess of Assets over Liabilities,	3,812 31
	<hr/> \$10,507 94

The Committee chosen to audit the accounts of the Selectmen and Treasurer have attended to that duty, and find their accounts correct and properly vouched.

JOHN GILL, *Auditing Committee.*

WALPOLE, Feb. 1, 1869.

EAST SCHOOL DISTRICT in Acct. with SAMUEL ALLEN, *Treasurer.*

## DR.

1868.

Apr. 20.	To cash paid J. A. Lewis, sundries,	\$16 75
May 29.	“ Baker & Coburn, labor,	
	and posts for fence,	97 08
June 28.	“ J. A. Lewis, sundries,	2 10
Sept. 28.	“ E. Polley's, collecting	
	taxes for 1867,	3 00
Nov. 23.	“ G. C. Park, sundries,	22 89

1869.

Jan. 30.	“ G. C. Park, “	28 55
30.	“ E. Polley's abatement	
	of tax for 1867,	1 70
30.	“ E. Polley's discount on	
	voluntary payments,	16 02
30.	“ Balance in Treasury,	238 64

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\$426 73

## CR.

1868.

Feb. 1.	By balance in treasury,	\$122 09
May. 14.	“ cash received of E. Polleys,	
	on acc't of taxes for 1867,	12 37
Sept. 19.	“ cash received of E. Polleys,	
	on acc't of taxes for 1867,	6 00
Oct. 20.	“ cash received of E. Polleys,	
	on acc't of taxes for 1868,	18 79
Nov. 3.	“ cash received of E. Polleys,	
	on acc't of taxes for 1868,	217 45
12.	“ cash received of E. Polleys,	
	on acc't of taxes for 1868,	14 78

1869.

Jan. 30.	“ cash received of E. Polleys,	
	on acc't of taxes for 1868,	30 69
30.	“ cash received of E. Polleys,	
	on acc't of taxes for 1867,	4 56

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\$426 73



VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT, in Acct with SAMUEL ALLEN, *Treasurer.*

## DR.

1868.

Feb.	1.	To cash paid B. F. Johnson, sundries,	\$28 93
April	1.	" " A. L. Hartshorn, "	8 56
	4.	" " H. M. Plimpton, "	3 93
Sept.	22.	" " E. Polleys, collecting taxes,	4 00

1869.

Jan.	30.	" " E. Polleys, abatement of taxes,	99
	30.	" " balance in treasury,	76 66
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			\$126 07

## CR.

1868.

Feb.	1.	By balance in treasury,	\$104 18
May	14.	" cash rec'd of E. Polleys, taxes for 1867,	14 11
Sept.	19.	" cash rec'd of E. Polleys, taxes for 1867,	3 79

1869.

Jan.	30.	" cash rec'd of E. Polleys, taxes for 1867,	99
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			\$123 07

NORTH SCHOOL DISTRICT in Acct. with SAMUEL ALLEN, *Treasurer.*

## DR.

Feb.	1.	To cash paid Boland Willett, sundries,	\$7 12
	19.	" " C. F. Everett, sundries,	6 48
April	28.	" " B. F. Neal, "	2 29
	28.	" " H. C. Fuller & Co., mason work,	5 00
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<i>Amount carried forward,</i>			\$20 89

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$20 89	
May	5. To cash paid D. Aspinwall, pump and fixtures,	27 80	
	5. " Roland Willett, sundries,	2 75	
Sept.	28. " E. Polleys, collecting taxes,	2 00	
Nov.	12. " Roland Willett, sundries,	13 52	
	12. " Wm. Blackburn, paint'g,	95 95	
1869.			
Jan.	30. " E. Polleys, abatement taxes, for 1867,	1 89	
	30. " E. Polleys, discount voluntary payments,	5 57	
	30. " Balance in treasury,	24 40	
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			\$194 77

## Cr.

1868.			
Feb.	1. By balance in treasury,	\$49 21	
May	14. " cash received of E. Polleys, taxes for 1867,	13 53	
Sept.	19. " cash received of E. Polleys, taxes for 1867,	19 44	
Oct.	20. " cash received of E. Polleys, taxes for 1868,	31 00	
Nov.	3. " cash received of E. Polleys, taxes for 1868,	50 78	
	12. " cash received of E. Polleys, taxes for 1868,	5 54	
1869.			
Jan.	30. " cash received of E. Polleys, taxes for 1868,	22 98	
	30. " cash received of E. Polleys, taxes for 1867,	2 29	
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			\$194 77

## COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

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TOWN OF WALPOLE in account with EDMUND POLLEYS, *Collector.*

DR.

1868.

March 9.	To cash p'd Sam'l Allen, Treas.,	\$344 00
May 14.	" " " "	370 00
June 16.	" " " "	200 00
July 6.	" " " "	210 00
Aug. 24.	" " " "	164 91
Sept. 19.	" " " "	170 77
29.	" " " "	118 50
Oct. 20.	" " " "	40 00

1869.

Jan. 30.	" " " "	106 60
30.	" am't of uncollected taxes for '67,	12 77
		\$1,737 55

CR.

1868.

Feb. 1.	By am't of uncollected taxes for '67,	\$1,737 55
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DR.

1868.

Sept. 29.	To cash p'd Sam'l Allen, Treas.,	\$797 98
Oct. 2.	" " " "	380 00
6.	" " " "	730 00
12.	" " " "	200 00

<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$2,107 98
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<i>Amount brought forward,</i>						\$2,107 98
Oct. 20.	To cash p'd Sam'l Allen, Treas.,					335 48
30.	" " " "					1,372 08
Nov. 2.	" " " "					3,677 91
3.	" " " "					4,086 20
7.	" " C. C. Churchill,					
	County Tax,					1,032 15
12.	" " Sam'l Allen, Treas.,					203 23
12.	" " " "					139 79
1869.						
Jan. 28.	" " " "					1,362 43
30.	" " " "					277 20
30.	" am't of uncollected taxes for '68,					1,820 70
						<hr/> \$16,415 15

Cr.

1868.

Aug. 22. By amount of taxes for 1868,  
committed for collection, as  
follows :

State Tax,	\$2,440 00
County Tax,	1,032 15
Town Grants,	10,800 00
Highway Tax,	1,500 00
Overlayings,	643 00
	<hr/> \$16,415 15

EAST SCHOOL DISTRICT in account with EDMUND POLLEYS, *Collector*.

Dr.

May 14, 1868.	To cash p'd Samuel Allen, Treas.,	\$12 37	
Sept. 19, " " " "	" " " "	6 00	
Jan. 30, 1869.	" " " "	4 56	
			<hr/> \$22 93
Oct. 20, 1868.	" " " "	\$18 79	
Nov. 3, " " " "	" " " "	217 45	
" 12, " " " "	" " " "	14 78	
Jan. 30, 1869.	" " " "	30 69	
" " " "	" amount of uncollected taxes,	18 80	
			<hr/> \$300 51

## CR.

Feb. 1, 1868.	By am't of uncollected taxes for 1867,	\$22 93
Aug. 22, "	By am't of taxes for 1868 com- mitted for collection, —	
	District grant,	\$300 00
	Overlayings,	51
		<hr/> \$300 51

NORTH SCHOOL DISTRICT in acc't with EDMUND POLLEYS, *Collector.*

## DR.

May 14, 1868.	To cash p'd Samuel Allen, Treas.	\$13 53
Sept. 19, "	" " " " " "	19 44
Jan. 30, 1869.	" " " " " "	2 29
		<hr/> \$35 26

Oct. 20, 1868.	To cash p'd Samuel Allen Treas.,	\$31 00
Nov. 3, "	" " " " " "	50 78
" 12, "	" " " " " "	5 54
Jan. 30, 1869.	" " " " " "	22 98
" " " "	" amount of uncollected taxes,	42 84
		<hr/> \$153 14

## CR.

Feb. 1, 1868.	By am't of uncollected taxes for 1867,	\$35 26
Aug. 22, "	By am't of taxes for 1868 com- mitted for collection, —	
	District grant,	\$150 00
	Overlayings,	3 14
		<hr/> \$153 14

VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT in acc't with EDMUND POLLEYS, *Coll'r.*

## DR.

May 14, 1868.	To cash p'd Sam'l Allen, Treas,	\$14 11
Sept. 19, "	" " " " " "	3 79
Jan. 30, 1869.	" " " " " "	99
		<hr/> \$18 89

CR.

Feb. 1. 1868. By am't of uncollected taxes for 1867, \$18 89

Respectfully submitted,

EDMUND POLLEYS, *Collector.*

WALPOLE, Feb. 1, 1869.

Examined and approved.

JAMES G. SCOTT,	} <i>Selectmen</i>	
JAMES H. LELAND,		of
JAMES P. TISDALE,		<i>Walpole.</i>





*Wm. Spear*

REPORTS  
OF THE  
SELECTMEN, TREASURER, COLLECTOR,  
AND  
OVERSEERS OF THE POOR,  
OF THE  
TOWN OF WALPOLE,  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 1, 1869.



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1869.





# REPORT

OF THE

SELECTMEN OF THE TOWN OF WALPOLE.

ORDERS DRAWN ON THE TREASURY

From February 1st, 1868, to February 1st, 1869.

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## SCHOOLS.

### CENTRE DISTRICT.

1868.

Mar.	4.	To Ann S. Metcalf, teaching Grammar School 12 weeks,	\$132 00
	4.	" John H. Barton, care of house,	15 00
	4.	" J. R. Russell, sawing wood,	3 00
	4.	" J. E. Bacon, teaching Primary School 12 weeks,	72 00
	11.	" H. W. Parkiss & Co., ink, crayons, &c.,	5 37
April	15.	" Geo. R. Clapp, half cord wood,	2 50
July	24.	" H. W. Parkiss & Co., soap and pail,	88
	24.	" J. C. Hammond & Co., ink and crayons,	1 45
	24.	" Ella Bacon, teaching Primary School 14 weeks,	98 00
	24.	" Ann S. Metcalf, teaching Grammar School 14 weeks,	140 00
	24.	" C. J. Bacon, care of house,	16 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>			<hr/> \$486 20

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>		\$486 20
Sept.	26. To B. Lewis, coal,	80 82
Nov.	16. " John Hayford, cutting wood,	3 00
	20. " Ella Bacon, teaching 10 weeks,	80 00
	20. " Ann S. Metcalf, "	100 00
	20. " C. J. Bacon, care of house,	12 50
Dec.	10. " Chas. Hartshorn, 2 cords wood,	10 00
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		\$772 52

## EAST DISTRICT.

Mar.	13. To Chester Morse, 4 feet wood,	3 00
April	1. " Jason Lewis, 4 cords wood,	26 65
	15. " Chas. Everett, wood,	10 50
	20. " James A. Lewis, half cord wood,	3 00
May	8. " Timothy Donovan, cutting wood,	13 00
June	11. " A. E. Ingraham, teaching 14 weeks,	126 00
	11. " F. N. Perkins, "	84 00
	11. " Geo. A. Plimpton, care of house,	11 50
Dec.	16. " F. N. Perkins, teaching 11 weeks,	77 00
	" L. D. Blake, "	110 00
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		\$464 65

## VILLAGE DISTRICT.

Mar.	11. To H. W. Parkiss & Co., ink and crayons,	1 59
	19. " L. B. Keith, teaching 16 weeks,	144 00
	19. " Geo. Hartshorn, care of house,	8 00
April	6. " John Burkley, cutting wood,	1 25
May	15. " Chas. Hartshorn, half cord wood,	3 50
July	30. " L. B. Keith, teaching 11½ weeks,	104 40
Aug.	25. " C. A. Booth, care of house,	5 80
Sept.	1. " Charles Ellis, wood,	33 00
Nov.	16. " James Crowley, cutting wood,	14 00
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		\$315 54

## NORTH DISTRICT.

Feb.	28.	To M. L. Wheelock, teaching 17 weeks,	\$153 00
	28.	" Alva Gay, care of house,	12 75
April	1.	" Rowland Willett, 2 cords wood and cutting,	16 75
Sept.	1.	" M. L. Wheelock, teaching 10 weeks,	100 00
Nov.	3.	" Lucy E. Smith, teaching 5 weeks,	50 00
		" Rowland Willett, care of house 17 weeks,	7 50
1869.			
Jan.	30.	" Rowland Willett, coal,	21 00
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			\$361 00

## SOUTH DISTRICT.

1868.

Feb.	28.	To Mrs. Otis Boyden, board of two teachers 13 weeks,	\$104 00
	23.	" Benj. F. Boyden, teaching 13 weeks,	136 50
	23.	" Frank Cook, care of house,	13 00
	23.	" Mary F. Randall, teaching 13 weeks,	45 50
April	6.	" Newell Boyden, wood,	27 71
July	1.	" Clarence M. Gibbs, care of house,	5 12
	1.	" E. S. Winship, teaching 10 weeks,	90 00
	1.	" Mary F. Randall, "	75 00
	1.	" H. W. Gilmore, cutting wood,	8 75
Nov.	12.	" F. W. Tiffany, care of house,	7 75
	12.	" M. F. Randall, teaching 12 weeks,	90 00
	12.	" E. S. Winship, " "	108 00
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			\$711 33

## WEST DISTRICT.

1868.

Mar.	28.	To L. P. Townsend, care of house,	\$6 00
		" " teaching 21 weeks,	126 00
May	20.	" William Baker, 3 cords wood,	24 00
July	30.	" S. J. Woods, teaching 10 weeks,	50 00
	30.	" Alfred Clark, boarding teacher,	30 00
Nov.	17.	" S. J. Woods, teaching 12 weeks,	60 00
	17.	" Alfred Clark, boarding teacher,	36 00
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			\$332 00

## BUBBLING BROOK DISTRICT.

1868.

To James P. Tisdale, appropriation for  
District, \$151 97

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## ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

1868.

June	1.	To L. D. Gray, abatement of Eben Baker's tax on personal estate for 1863,	1 98
	1.	" L. D. Gray, abatement of David Fales' tax for 1862,	2 00
	1.	" Daniel Turner, abatement of Aratus Thompson's tax for 1867,	2 00
Dec.	10.	" H. W. Parkis & Co., personal estate tax for 1868,	35 53

1869.

Jan.	28.	" Edmund Polleys, abatement of sundry taxes for 1867,	57 93
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			\$99 44

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## HIGHWAYS AND TOWNWAYS.

1868.

April	3.	To Chas. Hartshorn, labor and materials,	\$92 50
June	15.	" " "	74 00
July	1.	" J. H. Leland, "	34 00
	25.	" " "	5 00
Aug.	31.	" John Burkley, labor.	54 00
Sept.	12.	" J. H. Leland, "	100 00
Oct.	1.	" James Tobin, "	80 60
	1.	" J. G. Scott, "	88 63

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*Amount carried forward,*

\$528 72



<i>Amount brought forward,</i>			\$528 73
8.	" Alfred Clark, labor and materials,		60 70
15.	" J. H. Leland,	"	50 00
29.	" "	"	150 00
Nov. 2.	" J. G. Scott,	"	185 00
10.	" J. P. Tisdale,	"	24 75
28.	" J. G. Scott,	"	132 31
Dec. 1.	" J. H. Leland,	"	50 00
31.	" J. G. Scott,	"	41 00
1869.			
Jan. 30.	" J. H. Leland,	"	2 40
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			\$1,224 89

## BRIDGES.

1868.			
July 25.	To F. W. Bird, grate for culverts,		\$6 80
Aug. 22.	" J. G. Scott, labor and materials,		50 50
Oct. 1.	" J. H. Leland,	"	21 78
20.	" Chester Morse, timber,		70 40
Nov. 2.	" Chas. Hartshorn, labor and materials,		152 00
2.	" Clark & Leatherbee, lumber,		22 35
Dec. 10.	" Chas. Hartshorn, labor and material for		
	railing near Tilton Station,		24 00
	" Clark & Leatherbee, lumber,		26 63
1869.			
Jan. 1.	" J. G. Scott, lumber,		8 96
1.	" " labor,		30 00
	" J. H. Leland, " and materials,		7 25
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			\$420 67

## REMOVING SNOW.

1868.

Feb.	29.	To J. H. Leland,	\$33 42
Mar.	14.	“ “	49 85
	17.	“ J. P. Tisdale,	147 55
	27.	“ J. H. Leland,	56 68
	28.	“ J. G. Scott,	289 45
April	14.	“ J. H. Leland,	50 00
	14.	“ J. G. Scott,	144 30
	28.	“ J. P. Tisdale,	75 82
May	22.	“ J. H. Leland, in March, 1868,	76 63
June	1.	“ J. G. Scott, “	37 70
July	1.	“ J. H. Leland, “	19 25
	25.	“ “ “	10 61

1869.

Jan.	1.	“ J. G. Scott, “	16 00
	30.	“ J. H. Leland, “	15 00

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 \$1,022 26

## ASSISTANCE TO POOR AT ALMSHOUSE.

1868.

Feb.	1.	To Eben Stone, medical attendance,	\$2 00
	29.	“ W. O. Carroll, hay wagon body,	7 00
April	1.	“ Smith Gray, manure,	12 00
	1.	“ John L. Smith, 1 year's salary,	400 00
May	1.	“ Eben Baker, ox cart,	42 50
	23.	“ J. G. Scott, household furniture,	34 30
June	12.	“ “ hay,	48 00
	25.	“ “ standing grass,	68 50
	26.	“ J. Breck & Son, grindstone,	17 25

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*Amount carried forward,* \$631 55

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$631 55
Aug. 1.	To Eben Stone, medical attendance,	36 00
3.	" Wilmarth & Boyden, supplies,	11 22
22.	" J. G. Scott, burial expenses of Edmund P. Day,	15 75
29.	" E. C. Craig & Co., supplies,	144 49
31.	" John Burkley, labor,	62 70
	" J. G. Scott, household furniture,	10 38
Sept. 5.	" Wm. Corey, labor,	15 50
Oct. 1.	" Nathan Clark, part payment of salary,	100 00
	" James Tobin, labor,	36 00
9.	" Moses Pond & Co., boiler,	29 50
Nov. 2.	" Chas. Hartshorn, wood,	10 50
12.	" E. C. Craig & Co., supplies,	94 36
27.	" J. G. Scott, 6 swine,	27 00
28.	" " cart harness,	49 86
28.	" John Burkley, labor,	15 00
Dec. 28.	" Chas. Ellis, wood,	10 43
31.	" James Engley, stone,	14 75
1869.		
Jan. 15.	" J. P. Tisdale, wood at auction,	131 75
30.	" E. C. Craig & Co., supplies,	112 38
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		\$1,559 12

### ALMSHOUSE AND REPAIRS.

1868.		
April 1.	To Smith Gray, house, barn, and 11 acres of land (Daniel Allen place),	\$2,500 00
1.	" Smith Gray, expense of deed,	5 25
1.	" Horatio Wood, surveying and bound- ing land,	8 00
1.	" B. H. & E. R. R., freight on shingles,	2 85
8.	" J. P. Tisdale, sale of almshouse,	12 67
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		<hr/>
2 w		\$2,528 77

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$2,528 77
April 10.	To Clark & Leatherbee, 12m. shingles,	75 00
13.	" Clark & Leatherbee, lumber,	90 92
15.	" B. H. & E. R. R., freight on lumber,	4 75
28.	" Asa L. Hartshorn, labor,	82 34
May 1.	" J. G. Scott, insurance,	12 00
23.	" J. G. Scott, material for repairs,	16 68
June 1.	" H. C. Fuller & Co., mason work,	15 72
26.	" D. Aspenwall, pump and fixtures,	39 73
July 1.	" J. H. Leland, advertising farm,	17 60
Aug. 26.	" Bacon & Bullard, painting,	24 29
31.	" J. G. Scott, repairs,	11 58
Sept. 7.	" W. O. Carrell, labor,	29 00
Nov. 28.	" J. G. Scott, repairs,	6 66
Dec. 4.	" Bacon & Bullard, painting,	216 29
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		\$3,171 33

### ASSISTANCE TO POOR OUT OF ALMSHOUSE.

1868.

Feb. 1.	To Chas. Hartshorn, wood for Wm. Jackson,	\$7 00
3.	" L. Dickerman, medical attendance on Olive Smith,	13 50
8.	" Stephen G. Reed, town aid,	5 00
25.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	4 50
26.	" Charles Ellis, wood for Wm. Jackson,	7 00
27.	" Richard Burke, cutting wood,	1 33
29.	" J. H. Leland, assistance to transient paupers,	25 25
29.	" J. G. Scott, assistance to ninety-one transient paupers,	44 35
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<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$107 93



<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$107 93
March 9.	To Westboro' Reform School, board of W.	
	A. Reed,	13 00
12.	" John Brown, board of D. Fales,	5 00
14.	" Edward Brown, 10 weeks' aid,	10 00
23.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	5 00
April 1.	" Westboro' Reform School, board of W.	
	A. Reed,	6 50
1.	" Mrs. Oliver Eldridge, 26 weeks' board of Hannah Boyden,	26 00
1.	" Worcester lunatic hospital, 13 weeks' board of M. J. Carey,	45 60
1.	" John Brown, board of D. Fales,	5 00
14.	" City of Lynn, aid to Eliza Morse,	53 00
May 1.	" J. G. Scott, assistance to 30 transient paupers,	15 00
4.	" Edward Brown, town aid,	5 00
25.	" John Brown, board of D. Fales,	10 00
25.	" John Brown, board of D. Fales,	5 00
25.	" C. Hartshorn, wood for Wm. Jackson,	17 00
25.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	3 00
25.	" J. G. Scott, commitment of James D. Barnard to hospital,	24 05
June 13.	" Edward Brown, town aid,	5 00
18.	" C. Hartshorn, wood for Wm. Jackson,	7 00
July 1.	" Worcester Lunatic Hospital, board of M. J. Carey,	45 50
1.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	3 00
Aug. 1.	" Edward Brown, town aid,	5 00
28.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	5 00
28.	" Westboro' Reform School, board of Wm. A. Reed,	6 50
28.	" John Brown, board of D. Fales,	10 00
28.	" J. G. Scott burial expenses of an un- known man killed on R. R.,	14 75
28.	" S. W. Hartshorn removing pauper to State almshouse,	10 60
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		<hr/> \$468 43

		<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$468 43
Sept.	9.	To Edward Brown, town aid,	5 00
Oct.	1.	" Worcester Lunatic Hospital, board of M. J. Carey,	46 20
	1.	" D. Cook, entertainment of 62 transient paupers,	31 00
	1.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	6 00
	1.	" Mrs. Oliver Eldridge, care of Hannah Boyden 26 weeks,	26 00
	19.	" B. F. Holbrook, expense of removal of P. Mullen from Upton,	22 10
	29.	" John Brown, board of D. Fales,	10 00
Nov.	12.	" Edward Brown, town aid,	5 00
	16.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	3 00
	28.	" Westboro' Reform School, board of W. A. Reed,	9 07
		" Martin Gay, town aid,	4 00
Dec.	5.	" C. Hartshorn, wood for E. Brown,	14 00
	14.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	3 00
	22.	" Edward Brown, town aid,	5 00
		" John Brown, board of D. Fales,	10 00
1869.			
Jan.	1.	" Westboro' Reform School, board of W. A. Reed,	13 00
	1.	" Worcester Lunatic Hospital, board of M. J. Carey,	48 50
	16.	" A. J. Carnes, board of Ida Carnes,	6 00
	30.	" J. H. Leland, assistance to transient paupers,	23 00
	30.	" D. Cook, assistance to transient paupers,	27 25
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			\$785 65

## TOWN OFFICERS.

1868.

Feb. 29.	To J. H. Leland, overseer of the poor,	\$34 00
	“ J. H. Leland, selectman,	82 50
	“ J. G. Scott, overseer of the poor,	35 00
	“ J. G. Scott, selectman,	100 00
	“ J. G. Scott, constable,	25 00
March 2.	“ G. P. Morey, town clerk,	50 00
May 15.	“ E. G. Thurber, school committee,	25 00
	“ W. B. Smith, “ “	25 00
	“ Eben Stone, “ “	25 00
Oct. 17.	“ Edmund Polleys, collector,	170 00
Nov. 7.	“ J. H. Leland, assessor for 1868,	85 00

1869.

Jan. 30.	“ Samuel Allen, treasurer,	75 00
	“ J. H. Leland, selectman for 1868,	80 00
	“ J. H. Leland, overseer of the poor for 1868,	25 00
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		\$836 50

## PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

1868.

Feb. 28.	To J. G. Scott, stationery,	\$14 04
	“ Rockwell & Rollins, printing Reports,	68 22
Apr. 4.	“ John Wilson & Son, “ “	32 00

1869.

Jan. 30.	“ Samuel Allen, stamps, stationery, and recording deed,	5 00
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		\$119 26

## NOTES AND INTEREST.

1868.			
Feb.	20.	To Edwin Wilson, notes and interest,	\$73 57
	20.	" Leon A. Priest, " "	28 75
Mar.	9.	" Lawell Mann, " "	63 25
	11.	" Eben Baker, " "	37 37
	28.	" H. A. Billings, " "	43 12
Apr.	23.	" Harriet Kingsbury, 2 years' interest,	21 36
Aug.	4.	" L. & S. Pond, 1 year's interest,	150 00
Sept.	2.	" Emmons Partridge, part payment of note,	200 00
	2.	" Emmons Partridge, 1 year's interest,	49 00
Oct.	28.	" Horace Ware, 1 " "	60 00
Nov.	2.	" H. E. Bacon, 1 " "	9 30
	17.	" Otis K. Horn, part payment of note,	50 00
Dec.	10.	" Smith Gray, note and interest,	2,575 23
1869.			
Jan.	30.	" Horace Ware, " "	1,034 17
	30.	" Emmons Partridge, note and interest,	319 80
	30.	" Charlotte Partridge, " "	203 15
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			\$4,918,07

## STATE AID.

1868.			
Feb.	29.	To Caleb Philbrick, 1 month,	\$10 00
	29.	" Geo. W. Young, 1 "	5 00
Mar.	1.	" Caleb Philbrick, 1 "	10 00
	1.	" Jason Lewis, 2 "	12 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1 "	8 00
	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1 "	5 00
	1.	" E. E. Jackson, 1 "	8 00
	1.	" C. Hartshorn, guardian, 1 month,	8 00
April	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1 "	5 00
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<i>Amount carried forward,</i>			\$71 00



		<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$71 00
April	1.	To Margarette White, 1	month,	8 00
	1.	" E. E. Jackson, 2	"	16 00
May	1.	" Margaret White, 1	"	8 00
	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1	"	5 00
	1.	" Calvin Hartshorn, guard., 3	"	24 00
June	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1	"	5 00
	1.	" Jason Lewis, 3	"	18 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1	"	8 00
	1.	" E. E. Jackson, 2	"	16 00
July	1.	" Edward Clinton, 1	"	7 00
	1.	" C. Philbrick, 4	"	40 00
	1.	" F. W. Luce, 5	"	15 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1	"	8 00
	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1	"	5 00
Aug.	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1	"	5 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1	"	8 00
	1.	" C. Hartshorn, guard., 3	"	24 00
	1.	" Edward Clinton, 1	"	7 00
Sept.	1.	" Jason Lewis, 3	"	18 00
	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1	"	5 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1	"	8 00
	1.	" Edward Clinton, 1	"	7 00
	1.	" O. Philbrick, 2	"	20 00
	29.	" E. E. Jackson, 1	"	8 00
Oct.	1.	" F. W. Luce, 3	"	9 00
	1.	" C. Philbrick, 1	"	10 00
	1.	" E. E. Jackson, 1	"	8 00
	1.	" Geo. W. Young, 1	"	5 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1	"	8 00
	1.	" Edward Clinton, 1	"	7 00
	30.	" E. E. Jackson, 2	"	16 00
	30.	" C. Hartshorn, guard., 3	"	24 00
Nov.	1.	" C. Philbrick, 1	"	10 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1	"	8 00
Dec.	1.	" C. Philbrick, 1	"	10 00
	1.	" Edward Clinton, 2	"	14 00

*Amount carried forward,*

\$493 00

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>			\$493 00
Dec.	1.	To E. E. Jackson, 2 months,	16 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1 "	8 00
	8.	" Jason Lewis, 3 "	24 00
1869.			
Jan.	1.	" E. E. Jackson, 1 "	8 00
	1.	" C. Hartshorn, guard, 2 "	16 00
	1.	" Edward Clinton, 1 "	7 00
	1.	" Margarette White, 1 "	8 00
	1.	" F. W. Luce, 3 "	9 00
	1.	" C. Philbrick, 1 "	10 00
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			\$599 00

## MISCELLANEOUS.

1868.			
Feb.	29.	To W. O. Carroll, repairing road scraper,	\$8 50
Mar.	2.	" G. P. Morey, registering births, deaths, and marriages,	21 90
		" G. P. Morey, returns of deaths,	4 10
		" G. P. Morey, canvassing votes for Representatives,	3 00
"	11.	" H. W. Parkis & Co., school books,	6 55
		" William Henshaw, " "	29 75
May	29.	" L. D. Gray, services as liquor agent six years, to May 1, 1866,	53 35
Oct.	20.	" A. W. Cheever, taxes on Wrentham,	3 04
Nov.	2.	" Mason Peirce, express charges,	10 25
"	7.	" H. Billings, stone bounds for road,	3 00
		" Edmund Polley's, collector, discount on voluntary payment of taxes,	826 90
"	26.	" J. C. Hammond & Co., school books,	2 45
Dec.	1.	" State Treasurer, state tax,	2,440 00
		" J. G. Scott, treasurer First Parish, to use of vestry,	36 00
"	22.	" Jason Ellis, care of hearse,	1 50
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			\$3,450 29







Jan'y 30,	To amount in Treasury charged in this account to balance the same, and carried to the credit of the Town in new account . . . . .	\$7,334 34	
		<u>\$28,649 73</u>	
Oct.	12, By cash received of E. Polleys, on account of taxes for 1868 . . . . .	200 00	
"	17, By cash received of Horatio Boyden, part payment of woodland sold at Almshouse . . . . .	198 96	
"	20, By cash received of E. Polleys, on account of taxes for 1867 . . . . .	40 00	
"	20, By cash received of E. Polleys, on account of taxes for 1868 . . . . .	335 48	
"	30, By cash received of E. Polleys, on account of taxes for 1868 . . . . .	1,372 08	
Nov.	2, By cash received of E. Polleys, on account of taxes for 1868 . . . . .	* 3,677 91	
"	3, By cash received of E. Polleys, on account of taxes for 1868 . . . . .	4,086 20	
"	12, By cash received of E. Polleys, on account of taxes for 1868 . . . . .	203 23	
"	12, By cash received of E. Polleys, on account of taxes for 1868 . . . . .	139 79	
Dec.	10, By cash received of Smith Gray, note of E. P. Boyden . . . . .	1,000 00	
"	10, By cash received of E. P. Boyden, balance for Almshouse . . . . .	270 02	
"	10, By cash received of J. G. Scott, cow sold at auction . . . . .	42 00	
1869.	10, By cash received of Massachusetts Hospital, amt refunded on account of James Henderson . . . . .	17 29	
Jan'y 28,	By cash received of E. Polleys, on account of taxes for 1868 . . . . .	1,362 43	
"	28, By cash received of State Treasurer, Corporation tax . . . . .	950 48	
"	28, By cash received of State Treasurer, State aid . . . . .	620 40	
"	30, By cash received of Horatio Boyden, payment in full for woodland sold at Almshouse . . . . .	203 88	
"	30, By cash received of E. Polleys, on account of taxes for 1867 . . . . .	106 00	
"	30, By cash received of E. Polleys, on account of taxes for 1868 . . . . .	277 20	
		<u>\$28,649 73</u>	
1869.			
Feb.	1, By balance from old account . . . . .	\$7,334 34	

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL ALLEN, *Treasurer.*

WALFOLLE, Feb. 1, 1869.

## REPORT OF THE OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

*Of the Town of Walpole from March 1, 1868, to Feb. 1, 1869.*

By a vote of the town, passed at the last March meeting, authority was given to the selectmen to make such changes in the real estate of the Almshouse as they might deem best for the interests of the town. In accordance with that vote the selectmen disposed by auction of the old town farm, and purchased of Smith Gray the Daniel Allen place for an Almshouse. The old farm was purchased by the town in the year 1837, and cost \$2,700. It was sold — with the exception of nine acres of meadow, valued at \$300, which was reserved, — by auction, April 8, 1868, for \$2,342.

Amount paid Smith Gray for Daniel Allen place,	\$2,500 00
“ expended for repairs and improvements,	586 81
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Making the cost of the real estate,	\$3,086 81

Amount of personal property at Almshouse,

March 1, 1868,	\$1,860 43
Am't paid for household furniture, &c.,	193 98
“ “ groceries and flour,	240 67
“ “ meat and fish,	75 53
“ “ hay and grain,	264 58
“ “ wood,	157 18
“ “ manure,	27 00
“ “ swine,	27 00
“ “ interest, insurance, and taxes,	165 14
“ “ burial of E. P. Day,	14 75
“ “ E. Stone, medical attendance,	38 00
“ “ N. Clark, 4 months' services,	100 00

<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>	<hr/> \$3,164 25	<hr/> \$3,086 81
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<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>	\$3,164 25	\$3,086 81
Amount paid, sundry bills of labor,	207 33	
“ “ sundries,	40 59	
“ due N. Clark for services to Feb. 1, '69,	150 00	
	<hr/>	3,562 18
Total,		\$6,648 99

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Value of real estate at Almshouse, Feb. 1, '69,	\$3,086 81	
“ personal estate, “ “	1,737 82	
“ labor performed on highways,	289 10	
Cash rec'd by N. Clark for labor of team,	93 10	
“ “ board,	111 85	
“ “ sale of produce,	75 82	
Am't due for board and labor,	116 66	
Board of 317 transient paupers,	237 75	
Cash rec'd from sale of personal property at auction,	321 95	
	<hr/>	6,070 86
Net expense of poor at Almshouse,		\$578 13
Largest number of inmates,	4	
Present number,	2	
Average number,	2 $\frac{1}{3}$	
Number of weeks' board,	113	

## EXPENSE OF POOR OUT OF ALMSHOUSE.

Am't p'd on acc't of Edward Brown and wife,	\$61 00
“ “ “ David Fales and wife,	55 00
“ “ “ Mrs. Hannah Boyden,	52 00
“ “ “ Wm. Jackson and wife,	17 00
“ “ “ Mrs. Eliza Morse and two children,	53 00
“ “ “ Martin Gay,	4 00
Board of Mrs. Carey at hospital,	185 80
“ 2 boys at Westboro' Reform School,	48 07
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<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$475 87



<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$475 87
Removal of J. D. Barnard to hospital,	24 05
“ Mrs. Mullen from Upton,	22 10
“ J. McDonald to State Alms- house	10 60
Burial of man killed on railroad,	14 75
Board of Ida Carnes,	34 00
Relief by J. G. Scott to transient paupers,	15 00
“ “ D. Cook “ “	58 25
“ “ J. H. Leland “ “	23 00
	<hr/> \$677 62

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By am't due from Town of Weymouth,	\$34 00
	<hr/> \$643 62

Net expense of poor in and out of }  
the Almshouse to Feb. 1, 1869, }

\$1221 75

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES G. SCOTT, } *Overseers of*  
JAMES H. LELAND, } *the poor of*  
JAMES P. TISDALE, } *Walpole.*



# STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

*Of the Town of Walpole, Feb. 1, 1869.*

## ASSETS.

Amount in Treasury,	\$7,334 34
“ due from taxes for 1867,	12 77
“ “ “ “ “ 1868,	1,820 70
“ “ on acc’t of State aid for 1865,	296 79
“ “ “ “ “ “ “ 1868,	599 00
“ “ from Almshouse acc’t,	246 00
“ “ from State for Corporation tax,	64 34
Amount “ “ Town of Weymouth,	34 00
“ of lumber and timber on hand,	100 00
	<hr/> \$10,507 94

## LIABILITIES.

Amount due the several School Districts: —

Central District,	\$402 44
South “	594 62
East “	530 76
North “	426 96
Village “	472 20
West “	360 07
Bubbling Brook District,	160 00
	<hr/> \$2,947 05
Outstanding notes, with interest,	3,233 00
Amount due town officers,	300 00
“ “ N. Clark, services,	150 00
“ in treasury deposited as fund for Town House,	65 58
	<hr/> \$6,695 63
Excess of Assets over Liabilities,	3,812 31
	<hr/> \$10,507 94

The Committee chosen to audit the accounts of the Selectmen and Treasurer have attended to that duty, and find their accounts correct and properly vouched.

JOHN GILL, *Auditing Committee.*

WALPOLE, Feb. 1, 1869.